

Amendments to the Drawings:

Appendix A contains two (2) sheets of formal drawings that replace sheets nos. **3** and **5** (**Figs. 7** and **10**) of the formal drawings. The drawings have been amended, as follows:

In Fig. 7:

reference sign “**22.1**” within the right-most lens (12.2) is changed to --**22.2**--; and

In Fig. 10:

reference sign **12’’** is changed to --**12’’’**--.

Applicant respectfully submits that no new matter has been added by this amendment.

Remarks

Applicant respectfully requests entry of this amendment in view of the following remarks:

Drawings

Applicant respectfully requests replacement of sheet nos. 3 and 5 of the drawings in order to correct minor informalities in Figs. 7 and 10. The drawings have been amended to correct several minor errors in the associated reference signs, as supported by the specification paragraph 0041, lines 1-4 and paragraph.

Specification

The specification has been amended at numerous locaitons to replace double quotes (“”) that had been erroneously introduced during the preparation of the electronic application, with a single quote (’), associated with reference signs 10’, 10’’, 10’’’, 12’, 12’’, 12’’’, 16’, 16’’, 20’, 20’’, 26’, 26’’, 42’ and 42’’.

The specification has also been amended as follows:

In paragraphs [0009] and [0010], to insert --of-- after "plurality";

In paragraph [0039], to replace “provided” with --provide--;

In paragraph [0048], to replace “have” with --having--;

In paragraph [0052], to replace “Mal“tsev” with -- Ma’tsev--;

In paragraph [0053], to replace "the first carrier frequency" with --a first carrier frequency--; and

In paragraph [0058], to replace the first occurrence of “electromagnetic lens 102” with --first portion 108-- and to replace "incorporated" with --incorporate--.

Request for Determination of Patent Term Adjustment

The Patent Term Adjustment to date for the instant application is 85 days. Applicant respectfully submits that this amendment, the amendment filed on 21 January 2005 and the Information Disclosure Statement filed on 20 January 2005 may act to reduce the Patent Term Adjustment. Applicant respectfully requests that the Patent Term Adjustment be recalculated after entry of this amendment.

Summary and Conclusions

Replacement drawing sheets 3 and 5 have been filed to correct minor errors in Figs. 7 and 10. The specification has been amended to correct minor informalities. Applicant respectfully submits that no new matter has been added by this amendment. Applicant respectfully submits that the instant application is now in the proper form for Issuance.

Respectfully Submitted,



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